



Exploring Safari – Beginner Notes

Safari at a glance

Use Safari on iPad to browse the web, use Reading List to collect webpages to read later, and add page icons to the Home screen for quick access. Use iCloud to see pages you have open on other devices, and to keep your bookmarks, history, and reading list up to date on your other devices.



Search the web

Search the web. Enter a URL or search term in the search field at the top of the page, then tap a search suggestion, or tap Go on the keyboard to search for exactly what you typed. If you don't want to see suggested search terms, go to Settings > Safari, then (under Search) turn off Search Engine Suggestions.

Quickly search a site you've visited before. Enter the name of the site, followed by your search term. For example, enter "wiki einstein" to search Wikipedia for "einstein." Go to Settings > Safari > Quick Website Search to turn this feature on or off.

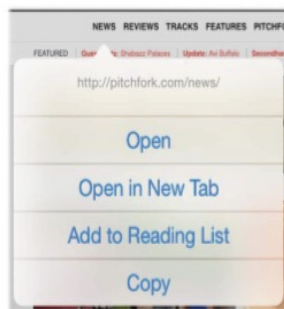
Have your favorites top the list. Select them at Settings > Safari > Favorites.

Search the page. Scroll to the bottom of the suggested results list, then tap the entry under On This Page. Tap > in the bottom left to see the next occurrence on the page. To search the page for a different term, enter it in the field at the bottom of the page. To continue browsing, tap Done.

Choose your search tool. Go to Settings > Safari > Search Engine.

Browse the web


Look before you leap. To see the URL of a link before you go there, touch and hold the link.



Touch and hold a link to see these options.

Open a link in a new tab. Touch and hold the link, then tap Open in New Tab. If you'd like to switch to a new tab when you open it, go to Settings > Safari, then turn off Open New Tabs in Background.

Browse open tabs. Tap , or pinch with three fingers to view all your open tabs. If you have several open tabs, tabs for the same site are stacked. To close a tab, tap X in the upper-left corner, or swipe the tab to the left. To return to a single tab, tap a tab, tap Done, or spread three fingers.

View tabs open on your other devices. If you turn on Safari in Settings > iCloud, you can view tabs that you have open on your other devices. Tap , then scroll to the lists at the bottom of the page.

Note: If you close the tab on iPad, the tab also closes on your other devices.

View recently closed tabs. Touch and hold .

Get back to the top. Tap the top edge of the screen to quickly return to the top of a long page.

See more. Turn iPad to landscape orientation.

See the latest. Tap  next to the address in the search field to update the page.

See a tab's history. Touch and hold < or >.

View the desktop version of a site. If you want to see the full desktop version of a site instead of the mobile version, tap the search field, pull down the display of your favorites, then tap Request Desktop Site.